

Kia ora, Talofa, Malo e lelei, Fakalofa lahi atu, Min Glar Bar, Annyong ha seyo, Ni Hao, Salam, Enedemin, Alachehu, Vanakkam, Namaste, Bonjour, Tungjatjeta, Gia sas, Pozdrav, God dag, Greetings.

Over the past week I have been lucky to be able to spend time in China with 25 students, Mr Price and Miss Erceg. During our time here, our students have been phenomenal ambassadors for our School. They have spent three nights living with homestay families from our Sister School, Dinghi Number 2 Middle School. The school has over 1000 students and they set up a massive stage and huge banner welcoming us. We performed a number of items, including an impromptu haka by Mr Price and a few students, a Lion Dance, two songs in Mandarin and one waiata in Te Reo Maori.

Later that day we were challenged to a game of basketball against Dinghi's Year 9 top team. We accepted the challenge and our hosts were amazed that our girls played too. We won the game 55 to 50 with our girls becoming instant superstars among the Dinghi students. Other highlights of the trip so far have to be the overnight train from Shanghai to Beijing, The Great Wall of China, local food and a visit to The Forbidden City.

Our students and teachers have been showered with gifts and generous hospitality. We are looking forward to hosting our Sister School later in July and returning to China for a repeat visit in 2019. If you are interested in hosting a homestay student from Dinghi, please fill out the forms that were emailed and sent home last week.

Split Classes

Due to the lack of availability of relief teachers we have had to split a number of classes across the school over the past couple of weeks. Splitting students means they are continuing with set classroom programmes and that they are working with students and teachers who they already know.

Student Behaviour

Northcote Intermediate has a high expectation of student behaviour. We ask that parents support us in making sure students are dressed correctly in the morning, are at school on time and are reminded of our core school value of Respect.

Reports

Student reports will come home on the last Friday of Week 10. These are addressed to parents and caregivers.

Sports Camp

Next week our students will attend Sports Camp in Matamata. We wish the team all the best for a successful week.

Enrolment Interviews

If you have siblings or family friends who will be attending our school in 2019, now is the time to book an appointment through the school office.

Union Meeting

The state of our education system in New Zealand has been under the spotlight in national news, as primary and secondary teachers seek manageable work conditions and remuneration for the job they do. Thank you for your support on Tuesday afternoon with the NZEI paid union meeting - the staff appreciate your support.

Onwards and upwards,



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Want to help NIS in their fundraising endeavours?
List and sell your home through me and I'll make sure that NIS gets well needed funds to help with technology, school camps and all sorts of other wonderful things. It's a win-win situation for us all!
*T.S. & C.S. apply

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Coming Events Term 2, 2018

Term 2

21 June	Table Tennis Zone Day
25 June	Sports Camp #1 commences
27 June	BOT Meeting
	National Rippa Qualifications
4 July	'Stomp' Workshops
6 July	Last Day of Term Two
	Reports Sent Home
23 July	First Day of Term Three

PKC – Premium Kids Care

We would like to thank Premium Kids Care for their loyal support of our school. PKC have now released the details of their holiday programme for the upcoming school holidays.

PKC Junior Holiday Programme July 2018

(Children in School years 1 - 6)

Short Day 9am - 3pm Full Day 7:30am - 6:00pm

<div style="text-align: center;">  <p>Monday July 9th <i>Hungerball</i> We had a blast last time and it's back again! We kick off the holidays with Hungerball!</p> </div> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; margin-top: 10px;"> Short Day \$55 Full Day \$60 </div>	<div style="text-align: center;">  <p>Monday July 16th <i>BARK - Dog Wise</i> Come along and join the team from BARK for their Dogwise Kiwi Kids dog safety course at PKC!</p> </div> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; margin-top: 10px;"> Short Day \$50 Full Day \$55 </div>
<div style="text-align: center;">  <p>Tuesday July 10th <i>Movies</i> Sit back and relax! Today we are off to watch Hotel Transylvania 3 on the big screen.</p> </div> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; margin-top: 10px;"> Short Day \$60 Full Day \$60 </div>	<div style="text-align: center;">  <p>Tuesday July 17th <i>Xtreme entertainment</i> Prepare for a day of fun! Today we are off for laser tag, ten pin bowling and more at Xtreme Entertainment.</p> </div> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; margin-top: 10px;"> Short Day \$60 Full Day \$60 </div>
<div style="text-align: center;">  <p>Wednesday July 11th <i>Chocolate making and all things baking</i> Come along and enjoy some tasty treats! Today PKC is all about chocolate making and all things baking!</p> </div> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; margin-top: 10px;"> Short Day \$50 Full Day \$55 </div>	<div style="text-align: center;">  <p>Wednesday July 18th <i>Hip Hop with Shore Dance</i> Bring along your dancing shoes and get ready to learn some new moves! Today the team from Shore Dance are coming in to give us a lesson on hip hop</p> </div> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; margin-top: 10px;"> Short Day \$55 Full Day \$60 </div>
<div style="text-align: center;">  <p>Thursday July 12th <i>MOTAT Science Roadshow</i> Captivate your mind and get inspired with hands on experiments and live demonstrations at the Science Roadshow at MOTAT!</p> </div> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; margin-top: 10px;"> Short Day \$60 Full Day \$60 </div>	<div style="text-align: center;">  <p>Thursday July 19th <i>EcoMatters</i> Roll up your sleeves and prepare to get your hands dirty in edible gardens, food forests and worm farms! Today we spend the day learning about our environment at the Eco Hub with EcoMatters.</p> </div> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; margin-top: 10px;"> Short Day \$60 Full Day \$60 </div>
<div style="text-align: center;">  <p>Friday July 13th <i>Halloween Party</i> Halloween has come early this year! Today we celebrant Friday 13th with creepy craft and spooky games!</p> </div> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; margin-top: 10px;"> Short Day \$50 Full Day \$55 </div>	<div style="text-align: center;">  <p>Friday July 20th <i>The Amazing Race</i> Complete the challenges, solve the clues and race your way to the end! Lets celebrate the end of the holidays at PKC's very own The Amazing Race!</p> </div> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; margin-top: 10px;"> Short Day \$50 Full Day \$55 </div>

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Important Information
 All bookings must be done online, please visit www.premiumkidscare.co.nz to book. Payment in full is required prior to the commencement of the programme. Spaces are strictly limited and done on a first come first served basis, your child's space is not confirmed until all necessary enrolment forms are complete and payment is received in full. Once the program has commenced there will be no refunds for cancellations. Your fees will still be payable if your child/children do not attend. We reserve the right to change activities/trips due to weather conditions or other unforeseen circumstances

China Trip June 2018



Community News

This section of information is provided by external sources.

Westlake Girls High School

Westlake Girls High School is holding an Open Night for students who will be Year 9 in 2019 – and their parents. Our Open Night is on Tuesday 3 July, with two sessions at 4pm and 6pm. Meet the Principal, tour the school, take home a goodie bag, and discover why Westlake Girls High School is a great choice for your daughter.

We would love to see you there. More information is available on our website www.westlakegirls.school.nz

Northcote Baptist Op Shop

The Northcote Baptist Op Shop is situated in the Northcote Shopping Centre. It is open Monday – Friday from 9.30am – 4.30pm and Saturday from 10.00am – 3.30pm. It is full of great bargains. In supporting the Op Shop, they in turn support many great charities, including Northcote Intermediate School.

Tukaha Brazilian Jiu-Jitsu - Kids Classes now in Birkenhead

Jiu-Jitsu is a martial art, with practical fighting and self-defence systems.
Jiu-Jitsu has many benefits for children:



- Improves balance and coordination
- Builds confidence and self-esteem
- Allows for socializing and improves fitness
- Teaches focus and discipline



Term 3

Wednesdays 5.00 – 6.00pm

@ ETK gym 60-62 Mokoia Rd Birkenhead.

To register for your **free trial class** please email tukahabjj.nshore@gmail.com or call Ricardo 021 072 3432

<https://www.facebook.com/TukahaNShore/>



AIMS Games Performance Team Fundraiser



Please help us raise money for the Performance Team who will be travelling to the AIMS Games in Tauranga in September 2018. For every box sold, Dad's Pies will kindly donate \$16.00 to the team

Pies can either be picked up from Northcote Intermediate at 3.00pm on Thursday, 5 July (we prefer this option) or delivered in the Auckland area. We will be in touch to confirm delivery date, time and address.

All boxes of pies (12 per box) and sausage rolls (24 per box) are \$40.00 each. We will also gratefully accept any donations.

Please confirm your order below by Monday, 25 June - note, orders must be full boxes, no individual pie sales.

Please return this form to the office by Monday, 25 June

Child's Name: _____ Room: _____

Your contact name & phone number: _____

- _____ box(es) Mince
 - _____ box(es) Mince & Cheese
 - _____ box(es) Steak & Cheese
 - _____ box(es) Butter Chicken
 - _____ box(es) Sausage Rolls
- _____ **boxes total @ \$40.00 each = \$**_____

Payment Options:
 We prefer payments made via the Parent Portal
<https://parent.musac.school.nz/>
 Please note, fees will not show on the Parent Portal until orders have been received and entered into our system.
 Online Banking –
 ASB 12-3053-0365947-00
 Cash or Cheque made out to Northcote Intermediate School
 Eftpos available at the School Office

Pick up – 3.00pm Thursday, 5 July Delivery

Thanks for your support!